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PATENT APPLICATION

Applicant: Bose McKinney & Evans, et al.

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Title: HOSPITAL BED CASTER AND
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Group: 3683 Examiner: Sy, Mariano Ong

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MAIL STOP NON-FEE AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response in the above-identified application:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED					
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 C.F.R. 1.16(c))	19	24	0	\$18	\$0
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b))	5	6	0	\$84	\$0
If applicant has small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27, then divide total fee by 2, and enter amount here.			SMALL ENTITY TOTAL	NO	\$0
TOTAL FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS					\$0

_____ An Extension of Time for _____ month(s) is hereby requested
under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a). The required fee for filing this extension is: _____

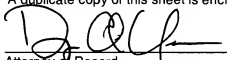
_____ Information Disclosure Statement _____

TOTAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT

\$0

_____ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the total fee for this amendment is attached.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 or processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17 which may be required during the prosecution of this application, or credit of any overpayment, to Bose McKinney & Evans LLP's Deposit Account No. 02-3223. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.


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